

Before the Board of Zoning Adjustment, D. C.

Application No. 12375, of Bergmanns Laundry, Inc., for permission to continue a parking lot. The property is in the SP District at 724-28 5th Street, N. W., Lots 809 and 810, Square 486; in ANC 2C. The applicant seeks pursuant to Sub-section 8207.2 of the Zoning Regulations a special exception under Sub-section 4101.41.

HEARING DATE: March 22, 1977

DECISION DATE: April 6, 1977

FINDINGS OF FACT:

1. The subject property is located in an SP Zone District.
2. This property is presently operating as a parking facility pursuant to this Board's previous Order 10985, dated March 29, 1972.
3. This facility serves the needs of the employees of the Bergmann's Laundry.
4. The Department of Transportation, by report dated March 23, 1977, recommended a four-year approval of this application.
5. There was no opposition to the granting of this application.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The Board is of the opinion that the continuation of this parking facility will not create any dangerous or otherwise objectionable traffic conditions. The Board concludes that the present character and future development of the neighborhood will not be adversely affected. The lot is reasonably necessary and convenient to other uses in the vicinity. It is therefore ORDERED that this application is hereby GRANTED subject to the following CONDITIONS:

1. Permit shall issue for a period of three (3) years but shall be subject to renewal in the discretion of the Board upon the filing of a new appeal in the manner prescribed by the Zoning Regulations.
2. No trucks of any type may use the parking facility.
3. All areas devoted to driveways, access lanes, and

parking areas shall be maintained with a paving of material forming an all-weather impervious surface.

4. An eight (8) inch coping shall be erected and maintained along each side of all driveways to protect the public space.

5. Bumper stops shall be erected and maintained for the protection of all adjoining buildings.

6. No vehicle or any part thereof shall be permitted to project over any lot or building line or on or over the public space.

7. All parts of the lot shall be kept free of refuse or debris and shall be paved or landscaped. Landscaping shall be maintained in a healthy growing condition and in a neat and orderly appearance.

8. No other use shall be conducted from or upon the premises and no structure other than an attendant's shelter shall be erected or used upon the premises unless such use or structure is otherwise permitted in the zoning district in which the parking lot is located.

9. Any lighting used to illuminate the parking lot or its accessory building shall be so arranged that all direct rays of such lighting are confined to the surface of the parking lot.


The Board reserves the right to direct revocation of the occupancy permit upon a proper showing that any terms or conditions of this Order have been violated. No Certificate of Occupancy shall be issued until all conditions of this Order are met and complied with.

VOTE:        4-0    (Lilla Burt Cummings, Esq., Leonard L. McCants  
                 Esq., Ruby B. McZier, Esq., and William F.  
                 McIntosh).

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BY ORDER OF THE D. C. BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

ATTESTED By:

  
BERNARD J. McMAHON  
Assistant Secretary

FINAL DATE OF ORDER: 5-11-77

THAT THE ORDER OF THE BOARD IS VALID FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS ONLY UNLESS APPLICATION FOR A BUILDING AND/OR OCCUPANCY PERMIT IS FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WITHIN A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDER.